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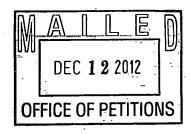
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NOTICE

This is in response to the paper filed July 10, 2012, which is being treated under 37 CFR 1.28(c) seeking status as a large entity.

The request is **DISMISSED**.

The request is signed by Dr. Delter Herbst and Dr. Stofan Schwenkede.

37 CFR 1.33(b) states:

"Amendments and other papers filed in the application must be signed by: (1) An attorney or agent of record appointed in compliance with § 1.34(b); (2) A registered attorney or agent not of record who acts in a representative capacity under the provisions of § 1.34(a); (3) The assignee of record of the entire interest, if there is an assignee of record of the entire interest; (4) An assignee of record of an undivided part interest, and any assignee(s) of the remaining interest and any applicant retaining an interest, if there is an assignee of record of an undivided part interest; or (5) All of the applicants (§§ 1.42. 1.43 and 1.47) for patent, unless there is an assignee of record of the entire interest and such assignee has taken action in the application in accordance with §§ 3.71 and 3.73."

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